



Learn English in London



Wimbledon School of English

50 Years of Excellence

Quality Education | Perfect Location





Welcome to Wimbledon School of English

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Welcome to our brochure, which is designed to give you a flavour of the top-quality tuition, excellent facilities and convenient London location you can enjoy if you study at our school. Of course, the best way to experience this is to see for yourself and we hope to welcome you in person very soon.

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What the ISI say about us

Students develop excellent skills, knowledge and understanding that are relevant to their language aims and personal aspirations.



“My English has improved quickly because the teachers are professional, helpful and kind. There are students from all over the world so I also have a chance to practise my communication skills. I think it is the perfect place to stay and study because the school has a lovely atmosphere and is not far from the centre of London.”

Rathakorn Polthammaphorn Thailand



Destination Wimbledon

Wimbledon lies in south-west London and is one of the city’s most popular locations. With excellent transport links, it is easy to reach by train or underground from all of London’s major airports, rail and coach stations.

If you let us know your travel plans, we can advise on the best way to get from your airport or station to your accommodation. Alternatively, we can arrange a meet and greet service, where a school representative will meet you at your airport or station and take you to your driver, who will make sure you are safely inside your accommodation before leaving you.

Transport

Wimbledon (London Transport Network Zone 3) has fast connections to Central London (Zone 1) and a great choice of transport options. The school is only 3 minutes walk from the train and underground station.

- **Overground train** There is a frequent service (16 trains per hour) from Wimbledon Station to Waterloo, with a 15 minute journey time.
- **Underground train** The District Line runs from Wimbledon Station and can take you direct to the museums of South Kensington, Westminster and the Tower of London, as well as linking to the entire underground network.

- **Night bus** This service runs direct from Trafalgar Square to Wimbledon all through the night.
- **Tram** Runs from Wimbledon Station to local areas.
- **Numerous local buses**
- **Taxis** Take a famous London black cab from the taxi rank at Wimbledon Station.

Airport Connections

London Heathrow	29km	75 minutes
By underground train changing at Earls Court		
London Gatwick	39km	50 minutes
By overground train changing at Clapham Junction		





Over 45 Years of Excellence

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WSE is one of the oldest English language schools in the UK and since its foundation in 1964 it has earned a reputation for quality and excellence. We have been named as one of the top UK Centres of Excellence, according to our British Council Inspection reports. This is an honour of which we are justifiably proud and one that we all work hard to maintain.

What the ISI say about us

Relationships are warm and friendly and contribute to excellent student care and welfare.

We believe strongly in the importance of education and have developed a range of courses designed to improve your understanding of the English language and develop your confidence in its use. Our continued success is largely down to the talent of our staff, the dedication they devote to our students and the pride they take in the school. A lot of our staff have been with us for many years and I myself started here as a teacher over 20 years ago!

The charming Edwardian façade of our main building hides a busy school with excellent educational and recreational facilities, including a beautiful garden where you can relax between lessons. The London Exam Centre is part of WSE and is a dedicated test site for the Cambridge Examinations, IELTS and PTE Academic.

Depending on the time of year, we have between 230 and 380 students, from up to 60 different countries, studying at any one time. This gives a wonderful opportunity to make new friends from around the world, learn about each other's cultures and, most importantly, speak English together!



"The teaching is creative and dynamic, the staff are very dedicated and the school is a wonderful and welcoming place."

Glacialva Iolanda Dos Santos Brazil



We are serious about study and committed to helping you progress as quickly as possible. Central to this is your happiness and well-being during your stay, and as an independent, family-owned business, we are dedicated to creating a friendly, relaxed atmosphere, whether at the school, in your accommodation, or whilst you are enjoying the busy social programme.

Wimbledon has an excellent range of leisure facilities and shopping opportunities within walking distance of the school. With its excellent transport links, it's also the ideal location to enjoy the benefits of London without the stress of a daily commute to the city centre.

I hope you enjoy looking through our brochure and it inspires you to come and study with us. If you need any further information, you can visit our website at www.wimbledon-school.ac.uk, or send us an email at info@wimbledon-school.ac.uk

I look forward to welcoming you very soon.



Jane Dancaster
Principal & Managing Director

What makes us one of the UK's best schools?

- Intensive full-time classes (minimum 20 hours per week) and a serious study programme
- A team of experienced and dedicated teachers including several IELTS examiners
- A centre for Cambridge, IELTS & PTE examinations
- A lovely building with a large, beautiful garden
- Top location in one of the best parts of London
- Great transport links, only 20 minutes from the centre of London
- The e-wimbledon language learning platform
- Excellent accommodation situated near the school
- Good facilities including free internet access, WiFi and a multi-media study centre
- Free sports and social activities...including tennis!
- A free placement service for all UK universities
- Accredited by the British Council and the ISI. Member of EnglishUK, Business EnglishUK, Quality English, IALC and the English Network
- The care and attention of an independent school



Our School

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Our school is situated right in the centre of Wimbledon in a spacious, typically English Edwardian house, which still has its original antique fireplaces and beautiful stained glass windows. In addition to light, airy spaces for relaxation, we are one of the few London schools with a garden, where you can sit outside and enjoy the changing seasons. WSE has a friendly, relaxed atmosphere, thanks to our attractive premises and the warmth and dedication of our staff.

What the ISI say about us

There are many opportunities to socialise and make friends, including comfortable, welcoming and well-resourced social areas.

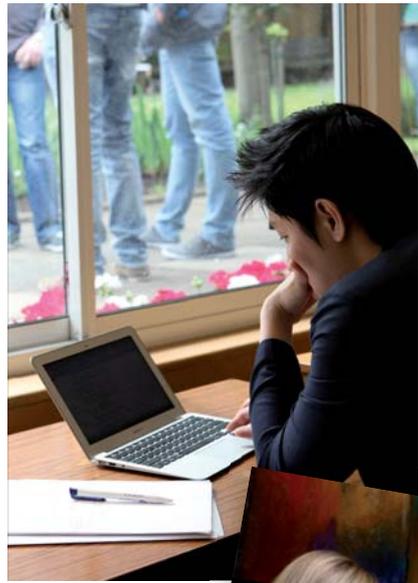
Our Facilities

We have 25 well-equipped classrooms, 10 of which have interactive whiteboards. If you'd like to do some extra work, there is also a multimedia Study Centre with a manager available every afternoon to help you with your individual study programme. We also have a reading library, with a range of books to suit every taste. There is WiFi access throughout the school and free Internet access from our computers.

Your Time

Your time outside the classroom can be just as important in developing your language skills as your time spent in lessons, so our large common room is a popular place for students to socialise and relax. There are games, newspapers and magazines, as well as PCs, a TV and DVD player - you can borrow DVDs from our large film library. We also encourage all our students to take part in the many sports and social activities on offer.

Refreshments can be bought from our snack-bar, or you can visit one of the many cafés, restaurants, shops and fast-food outlets close to the school.



"You have really good facilities in school and the common room is great for meeting and making friends. I love the garden - I spent time there in summer, in autumn we had lunch and chatted there and when it was winter I played with my friends in the snow. I think the atmosphere in school is the best in London."

Kim HyungHu South Korea



Our Students

In a typical year we will welcome students from over 60 different countries. Our minimum age is 16, though from September to June most students are between 20 and 30 years old. We have no upper age limit and about a quarter of our students are over 30. In July and August there is a larger proportion of older teenagers enjoying summer vacation courses.

Our Student Statistics

Number of Nationalities per year	Over 60
Student Numbers:	
Average (September-June)	240 students
Average (July-August)	360 students
Student Ages:	
Average (September-June)	25 years
Average (July-August)	18 years
Minimum student age	16 years
Age of oldest student to date	80 years
Students aged over 30	25%

Our facilities at a glance:

- 21 classrooms in the main building
- 4 classrooms in the annexe (Mansel Road Centre)
- Interactive whiteboards in 10 classrooms
- Large, light, comfortable common room with TV, DVD, PCs, newspapers, magazines & games
- Snack bar
- Fully-equipped multimedia Study Centre with a teacher there to help every afternoon
- Film library
- Reading library
- Free WiFi throughout the school
- Table tennis
- Piano
- Large, beautiful garden



Our Courses

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Whatever your reasons for learning English, whether for study, business or pleasure, we use the best possible teaching methods to help you develop your language skills and knowledge, enabling you to communicate with confidence in a variety of situations. Your lessons cover all aspects of grammar, vocabulary, comprehension, listening, reading, writing and pronunciation.

For further information

For a full list of our Standard and Intensive Courses, dates, and details of each course programme, including a timetable, please see our Information Booklet or visit www.wimbledon-school.ac.uk

Our Courses

We offer a wide range of courses including:

- General English
- Examination Preparation
- Academic English
- Business and Professional English
- Courses for Teachers
- English for Special Purposes

Your Progress

We expect our students to attend all their classes, study hard and do regular homework. Your teachers keep a careful check on your progress through:

- Weekly tests
- Regular individual tutorials
- An end of level examination

If you pass your end of level examination, you receive a Wimbledon School of English certificate as proof of your achievement and you are then able to progress to the next level.



"The school has a team of highly-professional teachers and friendly administrative staff, and the teaching is inspiring, motivating, and interesting."

Natalia Klochkova Russia



Standard Course

24 x 50 minute lessons per week

On this programme you study every morning and on two afternoons per week. This gives you an intensive learning programme but also leaves three afternoons free for self-study, exploring London, social activities, relaxing or taking riding or tennis lessons.

Intensive Course

28 x 50 minute lessons per week

On this programme you study every morning and on four afternoons per week, with Friday afternoon free for exploring London or relaxing.

Homework

We believe that homework is a very important part of your course and will help you make rapid progress. The exact amount of homework will depend on your course, but you should expect 1-2 hours per day.

Tailored English Courses

Our tailored courses are specially written to meet the exact needs of each individual closed group. These are particularly suitable for clients needing specialised English language knowledge for professional purposes, for example:

- **Oil and gas**
- **Aviation**
- **Military**
- **Government departments**
- **Teaching**

Whatever your area of expertise, if you need to develop your English language skills in a very targeted way, simply contact us and we will construct a course, perfectly tailored to your requirements.



Our Approach

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Our courses are only part of the package that has made us such a successful school. We look at every aspect of our service to ensure that our students feel relaxed in their new surroundings and are able to focus on their English language studies.

What the ISI say about us

The quality of teaching and learning is excellent and successfully enables all students to make very good progress.

Our Staff

Our teachers have always been central to our success. They are experienced and dedicated professionals and their enthusiasm for teaching combined with their warmth and approachability forms the backbone of the whole WSE experience. With over 340 years' experience between them, you can be assured you are in good hands. However, we believe you never stop learning, so our teachers undergo regular training to gain new ideas and update their skills.

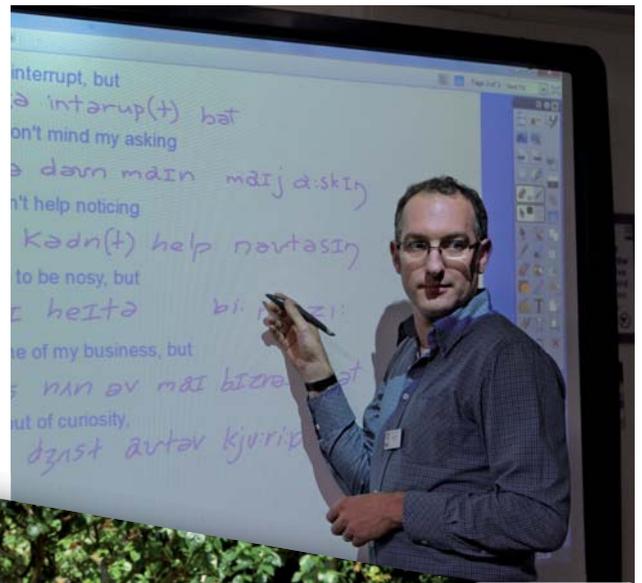
We also have Academic Managers who are available to help if you have any questions about your lessons or courses, or need advice on exams or further study.

Our Class Sizes

Our average class size is 12 students, with a maximum of 14. The Summer Vacation Course has a maximum of 16 students, and some courses have a maximum of 10.

Our Academic Levels

We have 8 levels of English language tuition, ranging from Beginner to Proficiency. These levels correspond to the Common European Framework of levels.



"My courage and confidence improved a lot as the lessons provided a chance to really USE English instead of just learning it."

Cho-Hsin Tsai Taiwan



Teaching Methods

Lessons are based on a mix of the latest textbooks and a wide range of supplementary resources. Your lessons cover all aspects of grammar, vocabulary, listening and reading, comprehension, writing and pronunciation. We use the best possible teaching methods to help you build your language skills, ensuring that you can both **understand** and **use** the language appropriately. This will allow you to **communicate** with confidence in a variety of situations, whether you're studying, working or simply relaxing.

Your first day itinerary

- 08.00 Arrive at school, bringing your passport.
Receive a WSE Welcome Pack.
Take an English grammar, writing and speaking test to assess your current level.
Enjoy our welcome talk followed by a tour of the school to meet our staff.
- 11.15 Your classes begin.
- 16.00 Meet your fellow students at our welcome drinks party.

Why is WSE the right school for you?

- We offer a wide range of courses, whether you are looking to improve your English for study, work or just pleasure
- You can study for as long as you want - from one week to a whole year
- Choose between Standard or Intensive Courses
- We will test your grammar, written and spoken English on your first morning to ensure you are placed in the most appropriate class
- Our Academic Managers and teachers will help you choose the best course for you
- Regular tutorials with your teacher will help to monitor your progress
- Weekly tests and an exam at the end of every level will help you see how you have improved
- You will receive a Wimbledon School of English Certificate at the end of your course



Examination Courses

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Study at Wimbledon School of English and be one of our many exam success stories! We specialise in preparing students for public examinations and run full and part-time preparation courses for a large number of internationally recognised examinations.

Our Test Centre: The London Exam Centre

We all know that exams can be stressful at the best of times, particularly when you have to sit them in an unfamiliar environment. The London Exam Centre is part of Wimbledon School of English and is a test centre for the Cambridge, IELTS and Pearson exams. This means you don't have to travel but will take your exams here in Wimbledon.

Our Expertise

Our team of teachers include several IELTS examiners, so you can be sure that the tuition you receive will be the best available and relevant to the exams you will be undertaking. Our Academic Manager will help advise on the most appropriate exam, while our Examination Officer can guide you through the application procedure. It's all part of a continuous process to enable you to achieve your goals.

For further information

Please see our Information Booklet for course and examination dates. Information on all examinations offered by The London Exam Centre can be found at www.londonexams.co.uk



“The lessons provided brilliant preparation for the Proficiency exam and we had the best teachers ever! Everything in the lesson was useful - it was the perfect mix. The school is outstanding - the best language school ever.”

Karin Gadiet Switzerland



Examinations for Students

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- University of Cambridge:
- Cambridge English: First (FCE)
- Cambridge English: Advanced (CAE)
- Cambridge English: Proficiency (CPE)
- Cambridge English: Business Higher (BEC Higher)
- Cambridge English: Legal (ILEC)

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- British Council:
- International English Language Test (IELTS)

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- Pearson:
- Pearson Test of English (PTE Academic)

Examinations for Teachers

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- Cambridge:
- Teaching Knowledge Test (TKT)

Why choose a WSE examination course?

- Highly experienced examination teachers, including several IELTS examiners
- Help and advice from our Academic Managers on choosing the best exam for your needs
- Special entrance examination before starting your course
- Regular tutorials with your teacher
- Full practice examinations during your course
- Guided use of the Study Centre, with access to past papers and exam preparation materials
- Examination Officers to guide you through the entrance procedure for the exams
- Take your actual exam here in Wimbledon



Resources and Services

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Beyond the classroom, we have a range of facilities and services designed to help you with your studies before, during and after your stay. It is a complete package of resources to enable you to get the most out of your studies with us and achieve your goals.

What the ISI say about us

A valuable online learning resource, 'e-wimbledon', encourages and supports students to take responsibility for their own learning.

e-wimbledon

e-wimbledon is our online learning platform, which is available to all our full-time students for three months before their course starts and three months after they have completed their course.

Your e-wimbledon benefits

- Get a personalised study plan at any level
- Find hundreds of lessons based on English language news websites
- Practise for FCE, CAE, CPE or IELTS exams
- Work with your teacher to focus on weak areas
- Contact other students in the school
- Link your account to your Facebook page
- Find out about and book activities on the social programme
- Get news about what is going on in the school
- Use e-reception to request holidays, bank or library letters, etc



"The study centre was a really great way of studying after school."

Barbara Lupacova Czech Republic



Study Centre and Student Libraries

We have resources for all levels in the Study Centre and libraries, so that you can work on improving your language skills or relax with a good book or film. Our Learning Technology Manager (an experienced teacher) is in the Centre every afternoon to help you design your personalised study plan and use the computers and other materials.

University Counselling Service

We provide a free university and academic counselling and career guidance service:

- **Help and advice in course and college selection, from undergraduate/postgraduate programmes, to foundation courses and local evening classes**
- **Well-stocked library of prospectuses for all UK Universities and Art Colleges, and other materials to help you make your choice**
- **Help with all aspects of your application including completing application forms, providing references and preparing for interviews**

Study Centre Facilities

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 18 computers with special language practice and examination programmes

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 Large bank of past exam papers for IELTS, TOEIC, TOEFL and all Cambridge exams

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 Film library with over 200 DVDs you can take home

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 Reading library with over 1000 books for all levels

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 Listening library

.....
 Reference library

.....
 Grammar and pronunciation worksheets

.....
 Tourist information on London and the UK



Accommodation: Homestay

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Feeling happy, safe and relaxed in your accommodation is key to your ability to study and your enjoyment of the whole London experience. That is why we have two dedicated accommodation staff who are available to match your requirements with the range of options on offer.

What the ISI say about us

Students are very happy with their host families and in the residential houses. The range of accommodation helps students to quickly settle into the school and enables them to practise and improve their English language skills in a relaxed and safe environment.

Our accommodation is carefully selected and regularly checked to ensure it meets the high standards we expect for our students. All our accommodation features free WiFi internet access, making it cheap and convenient to stay in touch with friends and family back home during your stay. Our accommodation team are available to answer any questions and to quickly address problems, if any arise.

School-managed Options

- **Homestay**
 - Standard
 - Standard Plus (private bathroom)
 - Superior (private bathroom and within 25 minutes' walking distance of the school)
 - Independent (room only and self-catering with full use of kitchen)
- **Superior House-share**
 - Ensuite study-bedrooms, communal kitchen, living room, laundry room, garden and other facilities.
- **Standard House-share**
 - Study-bedrooms (some ensuite), communal kitchen, living room, shower-rooms, garden and other facilities



"My host family was very nice and welcoming, they suggested some places to visit and spoke with me as often as possible. They strove to make me feel at home and helped me to improve my English."

Virginie Roch France



Other Options

- **Catholic Student Hostel**
(unmarried women only aged 18-30)

We can also provide information on local hotels and guest houses, or rental apartments.

Homestay

Homestay is our most popular option and is the best way to improve your English, whilst at the same time experiencing a British way of life. Host families vary from couples with children to people living alone. All our families are carefully selected and regularly checked by our specialist staff and many have provided excellent homestay accommodation for our students over many years.

Around one third of our families are within walking distance of the school, whilst for the others the maximum journey time is 30 minutes by bus or two stops on the London Underground or overground train. Wimbledon is very well served by all types of public transport.

Our Homestay Guarantee

- The family will be welcoming, friendly and happy to talk to you*
- The home will be clean and comfortable and your bedroom will be cleaned every week
- You will be able to bathe or shower every day
- If you take the half-board option you will be given a varied, balanced diet
- You will not be placed with a student who speaks the same language, unless you ask to share with a friend from your country
- There will be no more than 4 students in the homestay
- Wireless Internet access will be available
- If you are unhappy with your accommodation for any reason, you will be moved as soon possible

*Independent and Bed & Breakfast options offer you less contact with your host



Accommodation: House-share and Other Options

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For those who prefer a more independent approach to their accommodation, house-sharing is a popular option allowing you to make new friends, socialise and practise your English with fellow students.

For further information

Please see our Information Booklet for full details of all our accommodation, or visit www.wimbledon-school.ac.uk

House-share - The Self-catering Option

As the name suggests, you will share a house with a group of fellow students from the school, in one of our residential houses. All our house-share properties have a living room with a TV and DVD player, where you can relax and chat to your housemates, and lovely gardens in which to enjoy the sun. They also have well-equipped kitchens, though there's always the temptation to eat out in one of the many local cafés and restaurants.

Superior House-share

King's Lodge is a large house, ideally situated in the centre of Wimbledon, just two minutes walk from the train and underground station, shopping centre and cinema - and only ten minutes from school. There are numerous cafés, restaurants and bars in the immediate area if you wish to eat out. It has nine study bedrooms (single, twin and double) each with its own bathroom.

Queen's Lodge is a beautiful house in a quiet residential road only ten minutes' walk from the school and the town centre, and five minutes from the shops, cafés, bars and restaurants of West Wimbledon. It has six large single study-bedrooms, each with its own bathroom. Queen's Lodge is for students aged 30+.



"I really enjoyed living in the house share, it was like living in a little family. I lived with four other students and all of them were really friendly. I loved this house!"

Victoria von Reiche Germany



Standard House-share

Haynt Walk 1, Haynt Walk 2 and Cherrywood are three houses located in pleasant residential areas in South West Wimbledon. They are only ten minutes from the school by bus or thirty minutes on foot. There are a few shops and cafés just around the corner from each of the houses.

The two Haynt Walk houses each has five bedrooms, of which two are ensuite and three share shower-rooms. Cherrywood has six bedrooms, all sharing bathrooms.

Catholic Student Hostel

This facility is operated by the Catholic Church and is located in Southfields, home of the famous All England Lawn Tennis Club. It is only available to unmarried women, aged between 18 and 30 years. Whilst the hostel has no connection with the school, we are able to make bookings on your behalf if required, subject to availability.

Hotels, Guest Houses and Apartments

Often, students attending our more business-orientated Tailored English Courses prefer to stay in local hotels and guest houses or, if they are perhaps studying for a longer period, a rental apartment. Our accommodation team have information on a variety of properties, with a range of prices, and they will be happy to help you select the most appropriate for your needs.

Accommodation options - minimum age

Homestay Half-board	16 years
Homestay Bed & Breakfast	18 years
Homestay Independent	18 years
Superior House-share:	
King's Lodge	18 years
Queen's Lodge	30 years
Standard House-share:	
Haynt Walk	18 years
Cherrywood	18 years
Other options:	
Catholic Student Hostel (female only)	18 years



Our Sports and Social Programme

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London is one of the most exciting cities in the world so you will never be bored if you come here. Our sports and social programme is designed to make full use of the recreational and cultural opportunities presented by our London location. Joining the activities will allow you to practise your newly learnt language skills beyond the classroom, in real-life situations, as well as make friends with your fellow students.

For further information

For an up-to-date calendar visit
www.wimbledon-school.ac.uk

Our Programme

We have a wide and varied range of sports and activities on offer so that you can really make the most of your stay. All sports and activities which take place in the school are free and all sports equipment is provided - you only need to bring the right shoes. We can also arrange **tennis** and **riding** lessons on your free afternoons and there is a good **golf** course on Wimbledon Common. For some excursions you will need to pay travel costs and for others there may also be fees for tickets or entry charges.

Free Activities

- Monday welcome drinks party
- Dance evenings - try Salsa or Zumba!
- Party evenings and theme nights (eg Valentines)
- International student nights
- Film shows
- Our student disco at Po Na Na nightclub
- Camden and other London markets (travel extra)
- Historic pub tour of Wimbledon
- Museum and gallery excursions (travel extra)
- Wimbledon walks



"I played squash, badminton and went running. The running club was wonderful and I also enjoyed the International Party! It was fantastic and I will never forget that night. I met a lot of nice people through the school's social activities."

Chang Wook Choi South Korea



Activities with a Charge

- **Varied programme of Friday afternoon trips** from Kew Gardens to fun at the Bowling Alley
- **Full-day excursions to other UK sights and cities** such as Stonehenge, Cambridge and Oxford
- **Evening theatre trips to see the latest musicals**
- **Visits to London's most popular attractions** such as Madame Tussauds and the London Eye
- **Student club nights at London's top venues** such as Pacha and Ministry of Sound

Sports

We think sports are a great way of getting together and making new friends. Every week we organise group sports such as:

- **Tennis** What else?! Once a week we take a group to Wilton Tennis Club, weather permitting (not winter). Subject to court availability, you can also play for free on Monday to Thursday afternoons.
- **Squash** ● **Volleyball** ● **Basketball** ● **Football**
- **Badminton** ● **Running Club** ● **Table Tennis**
- **Nuffield Fitness Centre** For a monthly fee you can enjoy a swim, join exercise classes or use the gym.

Sample Week	Afternoon (16.00)	Evening
Monday	Welcome Drinks Party and Board Games	
Tuesday	Running Club /Volleyball/Walking Tour of London	Quiz Night
Wednesday	Squash & Badminton/Film Club	Zumba Party
Thursday	Football	Theatre Trip or Historic Pub Tour
Friday	Tennis/Trip to Camden Market	International Party Night at Pacha
Saturday	Full-day Excursion to Stonehenge and Bath	
Sunday	Free to explore the delights of London	



Wimbledon - The Perfect London Location

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London is one of the world's most vibrant, exciting cities and from Wimbledon you have the perfect base from which to explore its many delights. Wimbledon itself is famous for much more than tennis and is one of London's liveliest and most beautiful areas.

For further information

Wimbledon really has a lot to offer students at our school. On our website www.wimbledon-school.ac.uk, you will find links to several sites that give you more information on Wimbledon.

Wimbledon

It is a big, busy place (about 90,000 inhabitants) and is one of the wealthiest parts of London with a lot to offer. The school is ideally located in the Town Centre.

- **Shopping** Choose from the famous names in Centre Court Shopping Centre or the more exclusive designer boutiques in Wimbledon Village.
- **Eating and Drinking** For a quick snack or a more leisurely evening out you are spoilt for choice with numerous cafes, bars, lively pubs and restaurants offering food from every corner of the world.
- **Entertainment** Looking for a night out? Catch all the latest movies at the multiplex cinema, enjoy a musical at the large and beautiful traditional Victorian theatre or dance until the early hours at one of Wimbledon's nightclubs.
- **Sport and Fitness** If you want to keep fit there are several fitness centres with good facilities, tennis courts, horseriding stables, an indoor swimming pool and a golf course on the Common.
- **Wimbledon Village** This historic area is one of London's gems. Whether you're walking round admiring the pretty cottages with their flower-filled gardens, or sitting in a café watching the world go by, it's a wonderful place to spend time.



- **Wimbledon Common** This vast area of parkland, woods and lakes, next to Wimbledon Village, is perfect for horse riding, jogging, picnics, playing a round of golf or simply walking with friends.

Wimbledon really is a wonderful location - perfect if you want to enjoy the delights of London but live and study in a safe and pleasant environment.

“If you think Wimbledon is just the tennis courts you’ve got it all wrong. You can find everything from Italian restaurants to Buddhist temples. It’s wonderful and surprising!”

Chiara Palmeiro Italy

London

London is one of the most exciting cities in the world and you will never be bored here. It offers a lively mix of historic monuments, fascinating cultural attractions, the latest fashions, exciting modern bars and clubs, music for all tastes, traditional pubs, food from all over the world, theatres showing opera, dance, drama & musicals and all the latest films. London really does have something for everyone.

- **Culture and History** You don’t need to spend a lot of money to enjoy London’s culture – many of our famous art galleries and museums are absolutely free and with over 300 to choose from, you’re sure to find something to interest you.

- **Shopping** After class you can shop until you drop in Oxford Street, Covent Garden or the Kings Road or pop into Harrods for something special. You could also join one of our excursions to Camden Market for something a little bit different.

- **Parks** London is one of the greenest cities in the world, with more than 1,800 parks and open spaces. See wild deer in Richmond Park, play golf on Wimbledon Common or go boating in Hyde Park.

- **Nightlife and Entertainment** From West End musicals to opera and ballet; intimate music venues to giant arenas; small, specialist dance clubs to world famous nightclubs: London draws the best artists from around the globe. If you want to stay out late, the night bus will bring you right back to Wimbledon. Just make sure you’re not late for school the next morning!

The famous attractions of Central London are only 20 minutes away by train or underground from Wimbledon Station, which is just 3 minutes’ walk from the school.



www.wimbledon-school.ac.uk

Our promise

- To help you make rapid progress in your English
- To help you make the right academic choices for your future
- To ensure that you are happy in your accommodation
- To help you enjoy your stay and explore London and the rest of England
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